

THE EXACT LOCATION of Clayton Valley land under consideration for annexation to the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District is indicated in the map above, along with the present boundaries of the district and the boundaries of Concord's sewer system. The 4,000 acres represented by the dotted area have asked to be considered for annexation to the Central Sanitary District. The City of

Concord (presently serving the area represented by diagonal lines) strongly opposes the idea, arguing that Clayton Valley should logically annex to the city to obtain sewer service. The Clayton Valley area would increase the size of the Central District by about one-seventh, if annexed. In contrast, it would more than double Concord's sewer district if annexed to that city.

Sewer Terms Examined For Clayton Annexation

Horstkotte Gives Cost Estimates For 4000 Acres

Central Contra Costa Sanitary District Engineer Gerry Horstkotte last night presented cost estimates to the board of directors for the annexation of the Clayton Valley area.

The figures formed a basis for the board to set concrete terms under which it would accept the annexation of the area of approximately 4,000 acres.

At the time The SUN went to press, the board had not established definite terms, but when these terms are set it will open the way for a major annexation to the district.

Horstkotte's figures involved the cost of plant expansion and main trunk lines to the northernmost limit of the proposed territory. (See map above.)

THIS SUM would be raised by the annexed district by bond election if the annexation becomes a fact.

Horstkotte also proposed that the annexing area be divided into three Local Improvement Districts and presented estimates of the cost to each LID based on a study of the 23 LIDs already formed in the present district.

The annexation has been highly controversial because Concord feels that Clayton Valley should logically annex to the city in the future.

Horstkotte pointed out that the sanitary district is not "seeking annexation" but merely setting terms under which annexation can be accomplished if any area feels that it is interested.

He explained that the policy of the board has been to try to establish annexation figures which do not pose an undue hardship upon the area seeking annexation, but are fair to the people living within the present district.

CITY AND CHAMBER of Commerce officials in Concord have indicated that they will oppose the Clayton Valley annexation to the Central Sanitary District if definite steps are taken in that direction.

Last week Mayor Alynor Hussey said that he thinks the Clayton area should logically annex to Concord in the future. He said that is the city's natural direction of growth.

Hussey and others reportedly believe that chances of Clayton annexing to Concord would be greatly weakened if the valley were to receive sewer service from the central district.

Large areas to the east of Concord, in particular, have annexed to the city with the expressed desire of obtaining sewer service otherwise unavailable at the time.

Recently Concord Councilman Norbert Gehring said that the Central Sanitary District is "seeking" the Clayton Valley annexation.

TO THIS John Nejedly, attorney for the district, replied that the district policy stipulates that requests for annexation will be studied and approved only if it is determined that the district can serve the area in question without hindering its present operation.

Nejedly said that the district is "definitely not seeking any annexation," and said Clayton residents brought the matter up.

The attorney for the district also explains that the State Water Pollution Board, the State Health Department and the County Health Department say that a multiplicity of sanitary systems should be avoided whenever possible.

Mott to Head United Crusade

William Penn Mott Jr., Orinda resident and Oakland Park superintendent, will head the United Crusade fund campaign among public employees in Oakland again this year.

United Crusade general chairman William H. Park announced his reappointment Monday.

William Dann, manager of the Oakland Veterans Administration Hospital, will assist Mott.

"We are extremely pleased to have Mr. Mott with us again," Parks said. "Last year, under his leadership, public employees raised more than twice as much for the United Crusade as they raised in 1951 for all six United Crusade causes combined."

Association To Continue Meeting Through Summer

Summer doldrums won't affect the Orinda Association, it became apparent at the association board meeting at Orinda School Monday night.

Directors decided to continue holding regular meetings during the summer.

However, it was agreed that announcements of scheduled board sessions would be sent to directors early each month, along with return cards, so that directors can inform the secretary whether they will be present.

Also, the secretary, Mrs. T. P. Bacon Jr., is to let board members know of important subjects to come up at meetings.

PRESIDENT Peter Veitch and the other directors agreed that "community problems do not cease just because of the summer season."

It was pointed out by them that the organization's Orinda Planning Committee will certainly be active this summer.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, the board:

1. Approved the financial statement submitted by Treasurer Martha Chantler.

2. Tabled a request from Peter Howard to participate in deliberations on formation of a United Crusade setup in the area.

3. Decided to thank City Attorney John Nejedly of Walnut Creek for his interest in writing the Orinda Association, asking if he could be of service in connection with incorporation discussions.

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"There are about 60 families in the DRAKE-6 exchange area without telephones," he continued. "Our plans are to service them around

EBMUD Releases 600 Acre Parcel To Open Market

The East Bay Municipal Utility District has announced that approximately 600 acres of land in the Orinda-Lafayette area are up for sale.

According to John McFarland, general manager, the 600 acres is comprised of two tracts. One includes about 300 acres on the north side of Mt. Diablo Boulevard from the Crossroads to the Charles Hill area; the other on the south side of Mt. Diablo Boulevard extending from the Crossroads about the same distance east.

The first tract includes the controversial Pine Grove area. McFarland said that other EBMUD lands will be offered for sale as soon as extension of sanitary district facilities are available and there is an economic demand for further subdivision.

He said that he did not know which areas would be offered next, but stated that eventually almost all of the 3,000 acres EBMUD owns would be up for sale.

Concerning the 600 acres which are now on the market, McFarland explained that the utility company has been talking to prospective customers for some time, including the Episcopal Church, the Catholic Church and the Masonic Lodge.

McFarland said that the land would be sold in parcels of "almost any size, but preferably larger."

"WE WILL EVEN consider, reluctantly, half acre parcels," he said. "But we don't want to be in the real estate business... at least not the retail end of it."

He explained that all transactions go through Phil Wagner, properties division manager. He can be contacted at 512 16th Street, Oakland, or by telephoning Higate 4-7484.

The present acreage on the market is only a small portion of some 40,000 acres which EBMUD owns throughout the state, and which will be sold as soon as possible.

The property, for the most part, lies around EBMUD reservoirs, and is no longer needed for watershed land.

Notification of the policy of selling all acreage not needed was made to the supervisors so they might, if desired, include the areas in development of the county's master plan.

Moraga Del Rey Phone Rates to Be Cut Aug. 1; Lafayette Shy Only 49 Phones

Effective August 1, lower telephone rates will go into effect for subscribers in the Moraga Del Rey section of Orinda who have Drake 6 telephone numbers, it was announced this week by Howard C. Greenhalgh, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company manager.

This reduction, Greenhalgh explained, will result from inclusion of these subscribers in the Moraga base rate area. Approximately 180 subscribers will benefit from the lower rates, he said.

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EBMUD Joins Master Plan Move ORINDA SUN

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Any Future United Crusade Meetings To Be Under Wraps

Any further meetings for joining of Lafayette, Orinda, Walnut Creek, the San Ramon Valley and Pleasant Hill fund raising organizations to the East Bay United Crusade, if held, will be "under wraps."

This was the indication given Monday by Peter Howard, chairman in two different attempts to link the area to the East Bay crusade.

"IF AND WHEN we have a meeting, we'll let you know about it afterwards," was Howard's answer to a question about when the next meeting would be held.

A meeting was scheduled to be held June 8 at Acalanes High School, but was cancelled that day.

A publicity representative of the East Bay United Crusade told The SUN that several members of the committee who were to meet would be unable to attend.

The representative said the meeting would be postponed for a few weeks. Howard's "if" statement Monday was the first indication that there might not be another meeting.

The meeting would have been the second in the second attempt to establish the crusade here. The first attempt failed when five organizations said they were against joining at this time and only two went for it at a meeting at Las Lomas High School May 12.

THE SECOND ATTEMPT began with a meeting in Orinda May 27 where some 15 people talked over the idea and scheduled the second meeting for the purpose of negotiation with the crusade.

At the latest check, three local fund raising organizations were in favor of joining the crusade and six were against it. Those in favor were the Young Men's Christian Association, Boy Scouts and the Contra Costa Heart Association.

Those opposed were: Salvation Army, Contra Costa Heart Association, Girl Scouts, Mt. Diablo Therapy Center, Red Cross and Contra Costa Crippled Children's Society.

De Costa Heads Oakland Lions

Joseph D. DeCosta of 2 Norman Lane, was installed last night as president of the Lions Club of Oakland.

Installation of club officers climaxed a dinner gathering at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley.

Thomas Neilson, past international director of Lions Clubs, was installing officer.

On July 5 Mr. and Mrs. DeCosta will leave for the Lions International Convention in Chicago.

DeCosta, manager of distribution for the East Bay Municipal Utility District, is a member of the Contra Costa County Planning Commission.

He is immediate past president of the California Section of the American Water Works Association, a past president of the Sleepy Hollow Improvement Association and former representative of the Sleepy Hollow club on the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee.

County Holds Health Clinic in Orinda

The County Health Department Immunization Clinic for the Orinda-Lafayette area was held at the Orinda Grammar School Saturday, from 9 to 11 a.m.

At these clinics immunizations for diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus are offered to all children.

Smallpox vaccination are available to adults and children.

Ferguson Heads Sleepy Hollow Improver Group

The Sleepy Hollow Improvement Association has elected new officers and a new Board of Directors.

New president is Thomas Stuart Ferguson. He succeeds William Witter, who remains a member of the board.

New vice-president is Miles Sutcliffe. Francis Wyatt has been elected secretary, and Frank Coffey, treasurer.

The Board of Directors now includes Stanley Sorem, Ernest Starkman, Richard A. Fayram, Boone Robinson, Joseph Lang, Al McCann and William Witter.

The new officers and directors are already at work upon a plan to give Orinda another fine swimming pool and recreational area — to be located in Sleepy Hollow.

Sutcliffe is chairman of the recreational facilities committee, assisted by Verne Hudson.



SUN CIRCULATION CLUB Contest winners received their awards Monday morning. Editor and Publisher Herman Silverman is shown handing Mrs. Elaine MacPhail of Lafayette the keys for the brand new 1953 Chevrolet sedan, first prize. Yes, that's the car, which The SUN purchased from Reichhold Chevrolet Company. Next to Mrs. MacPhail is young Cindy Rasmussen of Orinda; at left

is Mrs. Helen Haines of Lafayette—they and Mrs. Anna Martin of Walnut Creek each won \$100 in cash, as the three third-prize winners. Mrs. Carrie Brown of Orinda won second prize, an all-expense trip to Mexico City and environs; she was unable to be present at the awards presentation because of her husband's sudden death Sunday.

—SUN photo by Henry M. Young, Studio Center

School Board To Talk to EBMUD About New Site

Trustees of the Orinda School District are tentatively scheduled to meet with East Bay Municipal Utility District officials today to discuss a school site in the Pine Grove area.

The school board is looking for 15 acres on which to build another elementary school. Trustee Edgar B. Stewart has asked EBMUD officials if they would be willing to sell the district any 15 acres of the roughly 30-acre Pine Grove site.

John McFarland, general manager of EBMUD, has said that the utility district is willing to sell the land to anybody, but the price must be agreed upon.

When asked if it would conflict with the proposed shopping center, McFarland said "It will certainly modify the plans... there will be some land left if they take 15 acres, but whether or not it would be enough for a shopping center I don't know. It would take different planning."

At the recent meeting of EBMUD officials and the Orinda Planning Committee, McFarland said, regarding the use of the Pine Grove land: "We don't take any stand one way of another. (As to whom the land should be sold). We will negotiate with the school board for the land they need. We would be glad to quote a price and sell it to them."

WINNERS OF THE three third prizes, \$100 in cash each, were: Miss Cindy Rasmussen of Orinda, 6,114,000 votes.

Mrs. Helen Haines of Lafayette, 5,404,300 votes.

Mrs. Anna Martin of Walnut Creek, 4,914,500 votes.

THE JUDGES counted the votes Friday night, after the official closing of the contest at 8 o'clock. Judges were Vance W. Perry, secretary-manager of the Walnut Creek Area Chamber of Commerce; Edward Turk, certified public accountant of Orinda and Walnut Creek, and Robert Stirling, assistant manager of the Central Bank, Lafayette.

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Lafayette Woman First in SUN Sub Contest, Wins Brand New Automobile

The SUN's Circulation Club Contest has come to a successful, whirlwind finish—and the winners were presented their awards Monday morning.

With 1075 subscriptions resulting from the drive, the contest stirred interest and activity throughout the area. Presentation of awards was made by SUN Editor and Publisher Herman Silverman at the Coast Counties Gas and Electric Company building in Walnut Creek.

WINNER OF THE first prize, the brand new 1953 Chevrolet Sedan, was Mrs. Elaine MacPhail of Lafayette, who scored 7,424,800 votes.

The SUN had purchased the car from Reichhold Chevrolet Company.

WINNER OF THE second prize, an all-expense trip to Mexico City and environs, was Mrs. Carrie Brown of Orinda, with 6,628,100 votes. The trip is the famous Garza Tour, arranged by Worden Travel Service of Orinda and Walnut Creek.

Personal tragedy marred Mrs. Brown's triumph. Her husband, G. Chester Brown, died Sunday morning after having suffered a heart attack Friday evening. Mrs. Brown was therefore unable to attend the awards ceremony.

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Following her winning of the Chevrolet sedan, Mrs. MacPhail said:

"I WOULD LIKE to thank all the

wonderful people who supported me by buying subscriptions to The SUN, enabling me to win first prize. The beautiful 1953 Chevrolet is now being driven by my husband and me."

"Thanks, too, to Miss Oma Perry, the subscription campaign manager, for the fair way she conducted the campaign."

"I earnestly hope The SUN continues to grow and to inform the public of important community matters, deferring what is right and exposing situations detrimental to the welfare of the community."

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Mrs. Elaine MacPhail, Laf.	7,424,800
Mrs. Carrie Brown, Or.	6,628,100
Miss Cindy Rasmussen, Or.	6,114,000
Mrs. Helen Haines, Laf.	5,404,300
Mrs. Anna Martin, W. C.	4,914,500
Miss Carole Holabird, Or.	1,644,300
Blake Berven, Laf.	1,393,300
Mrs. Kathleen Schick, W. C.	1,331,600
Mrs. A. L. McClure, W. C.	1,189,000
Mrs. Geri Fry, Laf.	889,200
Mrs. H. L. Schnoor, W. C.	839,300
Mrs. Florence Wald, W. C.	380,500
Mrs. Anna Dekar, W. C.	352,500
Larry Herman, W. C.	348,500
Nathan Lincoln, Laf.	224,000
Miss Joan McAdams, W. C.	173,000
Miss Mary Ellen Johnson, W. C.	132,000

Don Wells Completes First Solo Flight

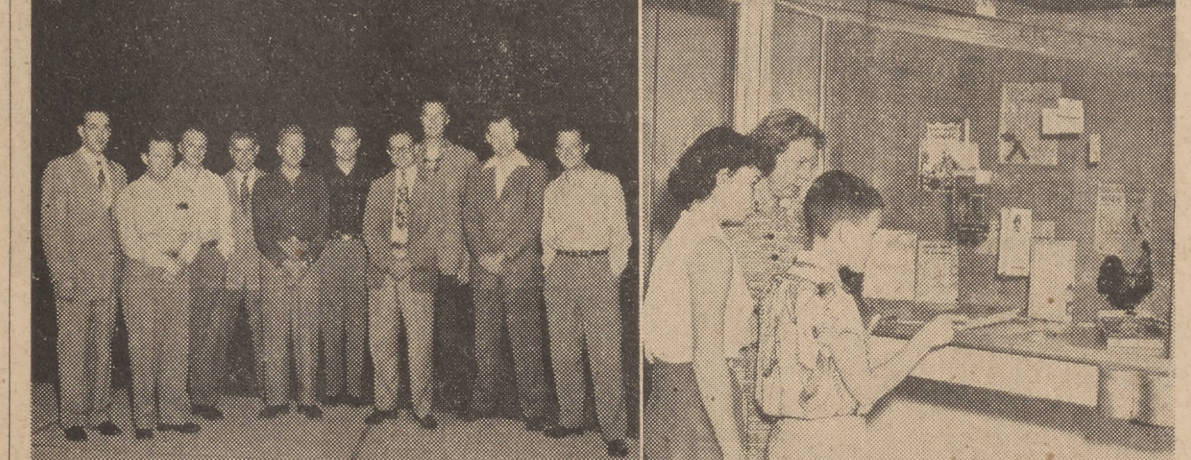
Don W. Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Selby, 107 Camino Don Miguel, recently took his first solo flight at the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Florida.

Cadet Wells attended Santa Rosa Junior College before entering the Naval Aviation Cadet Training Program.

Joint Barbecue To Be Held Tonight

Shipmates and Clippers of Orinda Community Church will enjoy a barbecue dinner in Sequia Lodge Park tonight at 6:30 p.m.

After dinner there will be singing and square dancing called by Ed Richards.



SLEEPY HOLLOW Improvement Association in Orinda has new officers. Left to right are Thomas Ferguson, president; Al McCann, director; Miles Sutcliffe, vice-president; Stanley Sorem, director; Francis Wyatt, secretary; Richard Fayram and Ernest Starkman, directors; Frank Coffey, treasurer, and Boone Robinson and William Witter, directors. Not in the picture is Director Joseph Lang.

MAGIC CRAFTS, DRAWING and other fun-activities are symbolized in the hobby display of library books in the American Trust Company window in Orinda. Mrs. T. D. Sanford of the library committee of the Orinda Association's Civic Affairs Committee and Judy Adams (left) and Jack Gilbert look at the display, arrangements for which were made by Mrs. Sanford. Gottfried Hesse is committee chairman.

—SUN photo by Ned Davis.

But Water Firm Requests Pine Grove Rezoning

By JULIUS ROSENTHAL
Filing by East Bay Municipal Utility District of an application for rezoning the Pine Grove land to retail business and cooperation by EBMUD with the Orinda Planning Committee in efforts to speed county development of an Orinda master plan highlighted the "Battle of the Pine Grove" this week.

The rezoning application was filed with the Board of Supervisors last Friday by Phil Wagner, manager of the EBMUD properties division. On Tuesday the supervisors referred the application to the County Planning Commission.

In addition to asking for Pine Grove rezoning, EBMUD requested rezoning of a strip of some 12.7 acres on the west side of Orinda Highway between the Crossroads and the Village.

At a meeting Tuesday of Chairman Donn Sigerson of the Orinda Planning Committee, committee member Joseph Creighton, EBMUD General Manager John W. McFarland and EBMUD Board President Louis Breuner, it was agreed that a joint effort would be made to get the county to accelerate development of its master plan, specifically for Orinda.

THE EBMUD MEN stated that if the county would speed up its Orinda master plan satisfactorily, the utility district board would consider whether to hold the rezoning application in abeyance.

Sigerson and McFarland planned to meet today or tomorrow to draft a joint request to the Board of Supervisors and the Planning Commission.

County Planning Assistant John Marin said yesterday that the Planning Commission may possibly set a date next Tuesday for a rezoning hearing. He estimated, however, that even if a date is scheduled, the hearing would not be held for at least another couple of weeks.

Both Sigerson and McFarland pointed out that if they make a joint request on master planning to the county early next week, the number of a rezoning hearing date might be neglected.

"IN ANY EVENT," McFarland said yesterday, "we will leave our application in. Our principal reason for putting our application in and leaving it in is that we feel this is a very businesslike way of getting some action."

"We're not going to push the application unnecessarily. Before we make any commitments we want to see what the planning commissioners say. They and the technical staff are the experts."

Wagner's letter of application stated:

"Your consideration and approval are requested concerning the rezoning of a portion of the East Bay Municipal Utility District property at the Orinda Crossroads."

PROPOSED is located at the intersection of Mt. Diablo Boulevard and San Pablo Creek Highway, and extends toward the Orinda Township.

"The enclosed map shows, outlined in yellow, the areas which are suggested for rezoning to retail business classification."

"The area lying easterly of the San Pablo Creek Highway contains approximately 38.9 acres, and the area westerly of the highway contains approximately 12.7 acres."

A legal description of these areas is now being prepared and will be sent to you in a few days."

On Monday night Sigerson reported to the Orinda Association board on his committee's work.

THE BOARD, UNANIMOUSLY adopted a resolution opposing immediate rezoning of the Pine Grove property and asking that "consideration of this question be deferred until the master plan of zoning is adopted by the county or until a bona fide plan for commercial use of this property be submitted."

The association board also unanimously adopted two resolutions recommended by the Civic Affairs Committee.

One of these urged the County Planning Commission to exert "every effort" in developing a master plan for Orinda which would maintain the community's "present high residential standards."

The other directed the Orinda Planning Committee to continue seeking essential "facts and information" by working "directly with the County Planning Commission in that body's endeavor to develop a detailed master plan for Orinda."

FOLLOWING McFarland's June (Continued on Page 4)

Hand Me a Drink, Ma, I'm Too Hot

The weather man didn't have much to say this week... he was too busy trying to cool off.

He gave us a wan smile, as if to say "I know it's a little bit warmer out," but it felt a bit flat as perspiration dripped from his locks.

The slip of paper he handed us said dandy that the warmest day between June 18 and Thursday morning was Wednesday with a reading of 95 degrees.

The coolest night was also Wednesday with a reading of 46 degrees.

And I'll bet it is no surprise to you that there was no rain.



GETTING READY for the Annual All Breed Dog Show and Obedience Trial of the Contra Costa County Kennel Club to be held June 28 at Acalanes High School are these girls and their dogs. They are, left to right: Peggy Boevers with her English Cocker, Champion Slippery Hill's Tory; Sue Adair

with Cocker Spaniels, Champion Naranjo Steaks of Las Trampas and Champion Las Trampas Yanchi; Barbara Lawrence with Beagles, Champion Mac of Sun Valley and Mac's Wonder Boy of Sun Valley, and Judy Murphy with her Miniature Poodle puppy. — SUN Photo by Henry Young, Studio Center

PLANNING THE SPECIAL CAMPAIGN for funds to fill the Red Cross disaster war chest are newly-elected officers of the Mt. Diablo Chapter. They are, left to right: Rear Admiral H. W. Need of Walnut Creek, disaster committee chairman; Mrs. David H. Humphrey of Danville, director; Irving Magill of Danville, chairman, and Mrs. Virgil Williams of Danville, director. — SUN Photo by Henry Young, Studio Center

Independent Citizens, Cardinet Group Are Both Back in the News Once More

Two citizen organizations which hotly disputed the question of minimum lot sizes in Contra Costa County were again in the news this week after remaining quiet for several months.

As they reappear, one is again bringing up the old problem; the other is engaged in reorganization. The current activities of each are described below:

Independents Look Into Incorporation

A group of Contra Costa citizens will meet in Martinez Monday night to take action toward incorporation into a non-profit corporation to be named the Planning League of Contra Costa County.

The nucleus of the organization comes from Independent Citizens Committee on Zoning that became prominent last year during the lot size dispute with the Official Planning Committee of 26, also known as the Cardinet Committee.

THE CARDINET GROUP favored a maximum lot size of one-quarter acre for the county, while the independent citizens favored no blanket lot size.

The committee's name was changed to "Independent Citizens Committee on Planning" and later to "Independent Citizens Planning League." It will take its new name Monday night at the meeting to be held at Nick's Place at 7 p.m.

The goal of the league is to get representatives representing segments of the economy of the county, according to Ed Rowland of Lafayette, a director of the original citizens committee.

"THE OBJECT of the league," he said, "is to assist the people in understanding the goals and problems of county planning."

"We believe we can be useful," he added, "in bringing the thinking of the County Planning Commission, county planning staff and the thinking and desires of the people together."

The president of the league is William Somerton of Lafayette.

7 Contra Costans Named to Board

Seven Contra Costa residents were appointed Monday to the advisory board of Guide Dogs for the Blind, Inc., at the annual meeting of the organization in San Rafael.

Mrs. John A. Bohn, of Orinda, Jack C. Moore Jr. and Joseph Simpson of Lafayette were appointed to the board for the first time.

Reappointed were Mrs. Burton Brace of Danville, Mrs. W. W. Hale of Diablo, Mrs. Alan Gordon of Richmond and Mrs. E. G. Timme of Alamo.

Mrs. Walter S. Heller, membership chairman, praised the work done by the volunteers of the organization.

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IT PREDICTED that at least 25,000 people will come into the county within a year, to live here. And it added that only some 16,000 acres of subdividable land are available in the county for the building of moderate-priced homes.

Quarter-acre homesites, allowing for streets, would provide space for 48,000 homes to accommodate 144,000 people, the group pointed out.

"THIS WHOLE AREA, therefore, will be filled with homes in less than six years," the committee said. "Suppose home building should slacken to half the present pace. What are 12 years when you measure them in relation to a shortage of homesites?"

The Cardinet Committee maintained:

Declaring "We're at the crossroads — only action now can avert waste of land, money," the Cardinet Committee this week renewed its campaign for quarter-acre lot size limitation.

In a 15-page pamphlet the committee again locked horns with the Independent Citizens Planning League and in effect objected to the county's failure to adopt the Cardinet Committee's quarter-acre proposal.

"THE POLICY of quarter-acre lots should be established now to avoid waste of land and waste of money," the Cardinet group stated.

"The size of homesites for the immediate future must be known now, to permit the office of the county planning technician to plan and recommend adequate sizes of sewer mains and water mains — to be installed now or later.

"If we leave 80 per cent of our present unsubdivided lands zoned for half-acre, then when quarter-acers are an economic necessity the double population will require the replacement of all such mains at great added cost, a waste of money — avoidable if we use our heads at this time."

THE CARDINET COMMITTEE argued that three main factors underscore the need for "a policy of quarter-acre of land as the standard or popular size of homesite for the bulk of the unsubdivided land outside of cities in Contra Costa County."

These three factors were listed as: "1. Financial income and practical need of the greater majority of those families which are, and will be, the home owners in our county. "2. Immediate and future demand for homes in our county. "3. Availability of land suitable for moderate cost residential construction."

The committee repeated its previous arguments that even the average high income of Contra Costa families is insufficient to maintain a half-acre lot per family.

Sale of Moraga Land to Rheem Company Denied

Rumors that Rheem Manufacturing Company had purchased the holdings of the Moraga Land Company proved unfounded this week, according to representatives of both companies.

It was rumored that the complete holding of the Moraga Company — some 5000 acres — had been purchased.

However, Don Breed, son of the late Arthur H. Breed Sr., who was president of the Moraga Land Company, denied the purchase and said "There has been no deposit of funds on any kind of purchase of Moraga Land Company holdings."

"There are always people interested," he said, "but there has definitely been no sale. At the present time nobody has purchased the property."

Gordon W. Mallatrat, attorney for Rheem Manufacturing Company, stated that "Rheem Manufacturing Company as such is not involved with the Moraga Land Company in any way."

"However," he added, "the employees trust fund, through its advisory committee, has discussed the possibility of investment of funds with the Moraga Land Company. That has not consummated in any sale, however, and nothing has been agreed upon."

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County Park Unit Hears Address

"What a County Park System Should Be" was the title of an address presented to the Contra Costa County Park Council Wednesday night by Everett Powell, superintendent of land planning and acquisition for the State Division of Beaches and Parks.

The County Planning Commission's recent selection of a consultant to develop a county park plan was the main topic of discussion at a council board meeting in Martinez last week.

James H. Campbell of Menlo Park was selected following a recommendation in his favor by Chairman Alvin Burton of Walnut Creek and other park council leaders.

The council will meet next in Danville in August. Clancy La Croix and Walter Rugh, treasurer, will handle the meeting. During the summer council members will go on field trips to present and proposed park sites.

VA Loan Chief at Realtors Meet

F. E. Huish, chief of the Examining Section of the Loan Guarantee Division of the Veterans Administration Regional Office in San Francisco, spoke to the Contra Costa Real Estate Board breakfast meeting Monday.

Huish spoke on G. I. loans and a question and answer period followed. Chairman of the program was Nick Carter.

The women's division of the Real Estate Board met a noon Wednesday for a smorgasbord luncheon at El Nido in Lafayette.

Walnut Creek to Host State Folk Dance Federation at Large Festival in August

The Folk Dance Federation of California has cleared the date for the monthly Federation Festival, to be held in Walnut Creek on Sunday, August 30, with dancing on the lawn from 1:30 to 5:30 in the afternoon and 7 to 10 in the evening, under the sponsorship of the Diablo Council of Folk and Square Dance Clubs, regional representatives of the federation in this area.

A preliminary conflict with other federation activities has been cleared up successfully, according to Glenn Ward, chairman of the Diablo Council, when he reported to the council at the June meeting last week in the Walnut Creek Grammar School.

The 11 local folk dance clubs which form the Diablo Council will play host to 1000 or more folk dancers from all over the northern part of California, from Fresno to the Oregon border, plus the friends and relatives who will come to watch the festivities.

The Walnut Creek Recreation Center has been engaged for business meetings, shelter for the exhibition groups to prepare themselves, and to serve refreshments to the federation officials in between activities. The program of dances and exhibitions is being made up by Reva Ward, wife of the chairman, who is also well known as an instructor and outstanding square caller.

Local restaurants up and down Tunnel Strip will be asked to serve the folk dance crowds in the dinner break and many small parties are being planned.

The host clubs of the Diablo Council are: Acalanes Folk Dancers, Inc., of Lafayette; Los Medanos of Pittsburg; Reel Weavers of Antioch; Shell Folk Dancers and Shell Square Heads of Martinez, and from Walnut Creek the Circle Four, Dancin' Dudes, Do-Ce-Do and Suburban Swingers, plus the Diablo Promenaders of Concord.

Democrats Picnic

Central Contra Costa Democrats will hold their annual picnic July 19 at Castle Rock Park, it was announced this week. The public is invited.

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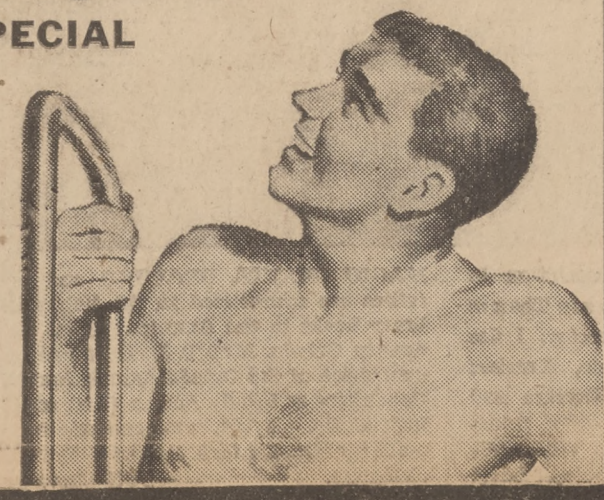
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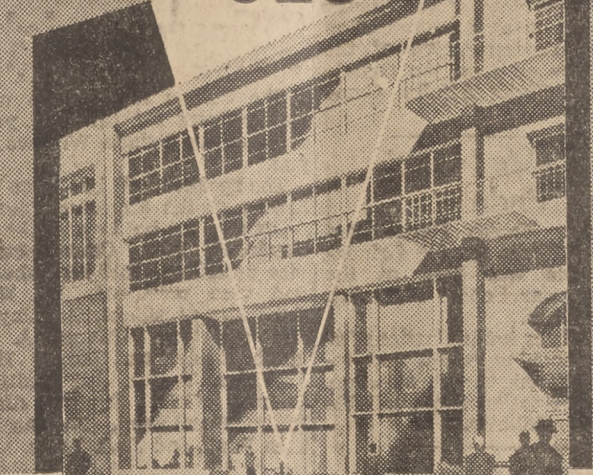
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 Orinda Rotary Club, Orinda Wil- lows, noon.

THURSDAY, JULY 2
 Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, board of directors, 1822 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, 8 p.m.

Swifts Gather

The Kenneth Swifts of Camino Lenada enjoyed a family gathering in honor of Lieutenant and Mrs. William Blackwell. He has just graduated from O.C.S. in Kansas. Mrs. Swift's parents, the Andrew Willisons, came down from Petaluma, and A. W. Willison came up from San Jose to join the family.

Reflooring Done On Scout Hut

The reflooring of the Orinda Scout Hut is now complete.

It was done in an attractive brown asphalt tile. The sink boards in the kitchen were also recovered.

Bill Houston, of Conklin Brothers in Oakland, donated the labor and materials at cost.

Each scout family was asked to give \$3.50 to defray what costs there were. To date, only about forty per cent of these funds have been turned in. The committee has asked that the rest of the money be turned in right away as they are holding the statement for the material.

Make the check payable to "The Orinda Scout Lodge" and send it to Mrs. Ralph Hall, 72 Davis Road, Orinda.

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Pollaczek New Glorietta President; Study on Orinda Incorporation Asked

Paul Pollaczek was unanimously elected president of the Glorietta Improvement Association at the recent seventh annual business meeting of the organization.

Also unanimously elected at the June 11 session in the social hall of Orinda Community Church were:

Ben Olson, vice-president; Charles Nelson, secretary; Hart Livingston, treasurer, and Carl Meurk, Mel Arlight, Bob Miller, Ken Detling and Ken Dewing, directors.

The new officers were suggested by a nominating committee.

THE ORINDA Association was asked to prepare a study on incorporation for Orinda. This action followed a spirited question-and-answer period largely dealing with incorporation and planning.

Preceding the question-and-answer period Caying, a director of the Orinda Association, mentioned incorporation as one of the subjects being discussed by the Orinda Association board. He discussed the Coro Foundation's report prepared for the Lafayette Improvement Association last year.

DONN SIGERSON of the Independent Citizens Planning League spoke on the background and objectives of the league and told how the league hopes to further establishment of a master plan for Contra Costa County which would keep Orinda as its residents wish.

It was voted to join the Diablo Highway Improvement Federation. Joseph Creighton was reappointed representative on the Civic Af-

fairs Committee of the Orinda Association. Miller was appointed as a delegate to the Diablo Highway Improvement Association.

THE MEETING was opened by Meurk, outgoing president, who welcomed new members and for their benefit discussed the purpose and aims of the association.

He introduced the other officers who had served during the past year.

Vice-President Pollaczek, Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Maria Brown and Directors Frank Caying, Arlight, Olsen, Maynard Buehler and Livingston.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES of the past year were discussed, including the dispute over the Fred T. Wood development, the annual party at the home of the Ted Harvers, participation in the Independent Citizens Planning League and the March of Dimes campaign.

Committee chairmen and representatives to other organizations gave reports on their activities.

Miller, plans approval chairman, discussed his activities, which included approval of approximately 15 new building plans.

He expressed the general feeling that it was somewhat difficult to maintain the desired standards under present planning conditions. Creighton, representative to the Civic Affairs Committee, discussed the objectives of that organization and the projects actively under consideration.

Cub Scout Pack 52 Has Picnic

Cub Scout Pack 52 held its annual picnic at the Scout Hut recently.

Originally, the pack had planned a cook-out at Indian Camp in Tilden Park, but the weather did not permit.

Many of the boys brought dishes of prepared food from home, while others broiled their dinners at the open fire place in the hut. Roasted marshmallows and the ice cream completed the supper for all.

After the meal, the boys and their fathers enjoyed games. Advancement ceremonies were opened by Cub Master Cal Unnevehr. The following boys earned their Webelos badges:

Reg Barrett, Bill Brown, Bill Brailford, Bob Connolly, David Dail, Richard Haelele, Milton Howe, James Hunter, George Kimball, Richard Moore, George Mulks, Allen Nilmaer, Peter Read, David Rhoda and Stephen Unnevehr.

Cub Pack 52 has grown rapidly in the past year, and will be divided into two packs, one to be led by Edward F. Winters, 55 Hillcrest Drive, and the other by Ernie Rahmeyer, 49 La Cresta Road.

Tim Lyden Cruises

Participating in a two weeks Naval Reserve training cruise to Mexican waters is Seaman Apprentice Tim Lyden of 121 Van Ripper Lane, Orinda.

There will be five Destroyer Escorts with a complement of 80 Bay area officers and men making the trip.

MARILEE MORTAROTTI

Mr. and Mrs. John Mortarotti, 57 Meadow View Road, Orinda, are the parents of a baby girl, born June 15 at Kaiser Foundation Hospital in Oakland. She weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces. She is their first child.

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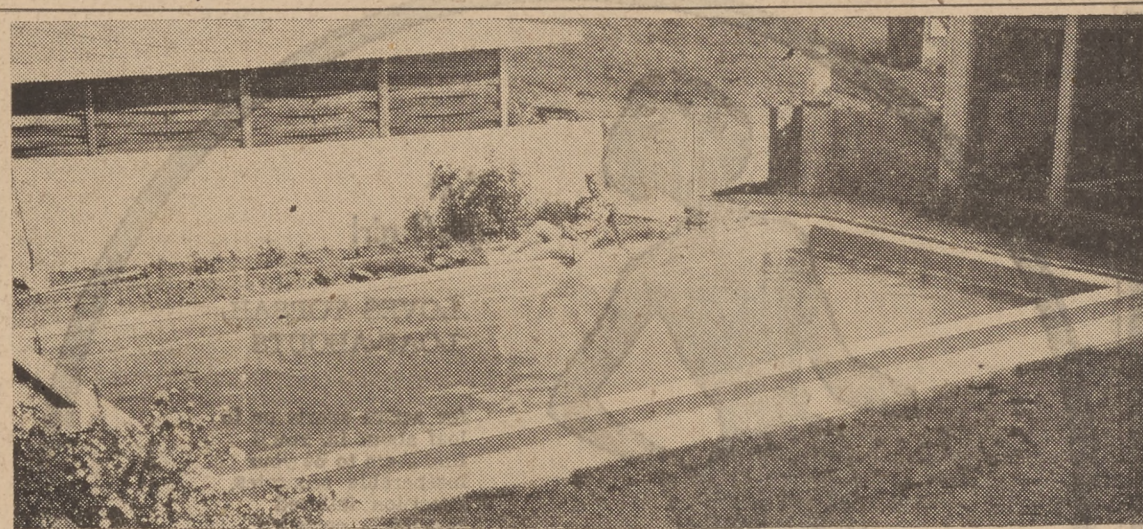
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Oh, yes, the 6 ft. redwood barbecue tables and benches came too, only \$19.95.

Just think now that summer's here and school is out, and we're all relaxing (he! he!), Furniture Market Week is approaching with all the newest ideas and suggestions for... Xmas! ! How the heck are we to cogitate at this moment, and plan what you all will be buying for holiday presents? Have any ideas? Be appreciated, believe us. We're here to save you time and energy, and have you shop at home, as we always say in "God's Country."

Speaking of new market items to be shown in a couple of weeks, the Frank Pollard Co. (the makers of those serviceable and attractive wrought iron and glass TV tables, etc that we carry) are coming out with a new line of upholstered furniture with wrought iron arms and legs, to sell for the unbelievable price of \$59.95 and \$64.95 for a chair, \$99.95 and \$109.95 for a sectional, and \$119.95 and \$129.95 for a sofa. Gosh! Can you beat that? So good looking, and comfortable too. We'll tell you about more new things being shown, as we see them.

In your home furnishing magazines have you noticed such names as Jofa, Schumacher, Stroheim-Romann, Drexel, Sligh, Van Keppel-Green, Dux, Morris, Gulistan, McGee, Mohawk? All these and many, many, more manufacturers will be showing crisp, new, and exciting ideas in fabrics, carpeting, and furniture for the fall. These are only a few of the reasons why we love our little shop! Any and all of these products we can bring HOME TO YOU, why bother to get all decked out for town, struggle to park, when we'll have them at your door in a flash.

Well, guess we should stop rambling, and get back to our Xmas wrapping. We'd enjoy sitting down and discussing all your decorating problems with you. Sure! We can be of help, come see us soon.

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"The Wonderful World of Books," edited by Alfred Stefferd, has chapters on how to enjoy short stories and plays, how to use reference books; problems of publishers, writers, teen-agers, book-sellers, librarians and teachers.

If you have "no time for books," read how a famous physician and a private in the U.S. Army found time to be widely read, in the chapter by Louis Shores, "How to Find Time to Read."

If you'd like to think faster, consult Paul D. Leedy's "How to Read More Effectively." If you want more pleasure from books, read Bennett Cerf's "It's Fun to Read," and Gilbert Highet's "The Historian's Job."

"Wonderful World of Books" is represented in a "mobile" made by Bill Channel of the County Library staff, featured in a hobby display of library books in the window of the American Trust Company in Orinda.

THE DISPLAY IS ARRANGED by Mrs. T. J. Fahay, president of the library committee of the Orinda Civic Affairs Committee, a group formulating building plans for the local branch library, now housed in the Orinda Community Church building.

Orinda library's present stock of some 3000 books, inadequate for a community this size, taxes the small room beyond its capacity. Many more books would be supplied by the county library, according to Jessie A. Lea, County Librarian, if space were provided.

Policy established by the Board of Supervisors decrees that branch library quarters be provided by the local community, while the county supplies personnel, books, equipment, supervision and reference service.

TO MAKE ROOM for new books delivered each month to Orinda, it is necessary for county library staff members to withdraw many older books which would continue to be read in this growing community.

Mrs. E. A. Dawson, Orinda Librarian, reports a circulation of about 1800 books a month, more than half of which are children's

books. County Library books on display in the bank window may be requested through Orinda branch library, open Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 2 to 5 p.m., and Monday evening 7 to 9 p.m.

St. Stephen's Plans Busy Week

Conducting the Sunday morning service for members of St. Stephen's Episcopal church at 8:30 a.m. at the Orinda Community church chapel, the Reverend Charles M. Hill will address his sermon to the congregation following his youth group seminar at the Bishop's Ranch during the past week.

Mr. Hill left Sunday evening to teach a course on "The Christian Home" to the Young People's Conference, a selected group of graduates of the 11th and 12th grades of schools in Northern California, who were guests of the Bishop's Ranch, five miles from Healdsburg.

Mr. Hill, vicar of St. Stephen's church in Orinda, was assisted in the program by the Reverend Henry E. Getz, of St. Paul's church in San Rafael, who was a visiting priest at St. Stephen's last Fall.

Friends of long standing, Mr. Hill and Mr. Getz worked together for many years among youth groups in the Southwest portion of the United States.

Music for Sunday's service will include "Prayer Perfect" by Speaks, which will be sung as offertory anthem by St. Stephen's Choir. Mrs. T. J. Fahay, choirmaster and organist, will play "Prelude Melodique" by Loeschhorn and "Grand Chorus" by Chabrier.

Mrs. Fahay will leave immediately after the service to attend the 43rd Annual Convention of the Music Teachers' Association of California in Stockton from June 28 to July 2.

Concerts and lectures will cover many phases of music during the convention, Mrs. Fahay's special interest being the lecture on "Modern Choral Techniques and Problems," which will present Dr. John F. Williamson, the founder and conductor of the famed Westminster Choir and president of Westminster Choir College.

Bids Received On New Church

Announcement has been made that the bids on the new St. Stephen's church have been opened. R. F. Johnson & Son, general contractors of El Cerrito, made the bid of \$75,582, after you've examined the estimates of the St. Stephen's Building committee.

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Chester Brown Dies Suddenly In Hospital

G. Chester Brown, well-known Orinda resident, died Sunday morning at Peralta Hospital, Oakland.

He was 73 years old. A resident of 164 Orinda Highway, Mr. Brown was a retired mining engineer at the time of his death.

He suffered a heart attack at home early Friday evening, after he and Mrs. Brown had returned from the University of California Alumni luncheon in Berkeley. He was taken to the hospital Saturday night.

SERVICES WERE conducted Wednesday at the Truman Mortuary in Oakland, Alta Vista Masonic Lodge and the Rev. Fred Morrow of Orinda Community Church participated.

Cremation followed at Mt. View Crematory in Oakland.

SURVIVORS ARE his widow, Carrie Brown, and three children, Commander Laurie C. Smith of Belmont, Wis.; Margerie C. Korn of Sacramento and Jesse K. Smith of Pacific Grove. His first wife, Euphemia Rebecca Brunz Brown, died in 1933.

Brown came to Orinda from San Francisco in 1944.

He was a member of the Orinda Community Church and beloved by all who knew him. It was his habit on Sunday mornings to take his children from his garden and present them to the ladies of the church.

Born in Hayward, Calif. in 1880, he received his degree in mining engineering from the University of California in 1903. Following his graduation he worked in Alaska, British Columbia, Nevada, Colorado and California.

HE WAS CHIEF mining inspector for the State of California from 1915 to 1927, at which time he did pioneer work in the prevention of accidents in mines.

He was president of the Old Time Athletes Association in San Francisco, an organization composed of former athletes of U.C. Mr. Brown held a Big C in track.

He was a charter member of the Alta Vista Masonic Lodge in San Francisco, and member for 51 years. He also belonged to the Pacific Coast Transportation Advisory Board and had been a member of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce and the Commonwealth Club.

THE NIGHT BEFORE he suffered his attack, Mr. and Mrs. Brown attended the reunion of the UC Class of 1903. With his customary cheerfulness, Mr. Brown quipped and reminisced with his classmates.

One of the many gestures which endeared him to children and adults alike was his handing out of cookies to the youngsters of the neighborhood. Mrs. Brown always kept the cookie jar filled so that there would be a plentiful supply of "goodies" for this purpose.

Summer Sermons To Be Concerned With 'Living'

Beginning a series of summer sermons on "Living Effectively," the Reverend Fred R. Morrow will speak Sunday at the Orinda Community Church at 10:30 a.m. on "Childlike Living."

What the special quality is that people must have to enter the kingdom of heaven, and how this may be carried over from childhood into later life are questions that will be discussed, on the basis of the text, Luke 18:17, said Rev. Morrow.

The service will include choral music by the choir led by Margaret Popovich. Daniel Popovich is the organist.

Boys and girls of primary and junior grades will see the second of a series of sound films on the life of Paul, "The Conversion."

The summer session of the Sunday school is held at the same hour as the church service and is under the general direction of C. Ray Fowler, youth assistant.

Nursery and kindergarten grades are also included in the school program throughout the summer.

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About our happy Country Folks

By EDITH BOLMAN

Here today and gone tomorrow — Marlene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bannister who have just moved into the Norman Krey house. She was home from the University of California only long enough to pack, then off to Hawaii for a summer visit.

MRS. FRED GOODWIN, with daughters Terry and Kay, are headed for the East—first to Detroit where they will pick up a car; then to Baltimore to visit Mrs. Goodwin's brother and family. Then driving to New York, Williamsburg, Charleston, Knoxville, Nashville, Memphis (Mrs. Goodwin's native heath), Des Arc, Arkansas, to visit Mrs. Goodwin's mother—then home by way of Reno, Denver, Salt Lake, Daughter Terry is taking along a note book to get some accurate information about one thing and another for us to pass along to you.

Mesdames and Messieurs Ralph Ong, Harry Martin and Stanley Holmgren are home from the Islands. They started off at the Royal Hawaiian, then did the other Island trips such as Hana Maui, Kona, Kauai, then back to Honolulu at the new SurfRider for awhile then home.

Mrs. Henry Cabral and her sister Mrs. Val Strough left for a six weeks tour of the Islands where they will undoubtedly pick up more Hawaiian dance ideas for Mrs. Cabral's students.

Mrs. Edward Elder has left for Yosemite.

Cocktail groups prior to the dance at the Orinda Country Club party last Saturday were given by Mr. and Mrs. John Athanson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donovan. The dancing was quite a what with Mr. Mac, the dancing instructor, on hand to blow whistles and hand out bottles of champagne and organize Conga lines.

Parting shot for the season by the Orinda Branch of the Children's Hospital was a lovely tea (sparkly punch with delightful things for nibbling purposes) given at the home of Mrs. William Foster for the active members, inactive members and guests Mrs. Carter Collins, Mr. Ralph Suppance, Major Helen Collins and Mrs. William Harold Oliver. Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Pond and two children flew East recently to pick up a car and drive home through many spots of interest.

TOM GENTRY invited about 50 of his Kappa Sigma fraternity brothers and their "dates" for a wonderful swimming, barbecue and dancing party to celebrate his graduation from the University of California where he received his degree in engineering. Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Gentry were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin, Embree Hockenbeamer and Mr. Frank Bottomly. The Bohemian Club Small Jazz Orchestra played for the dancing. In October Tom will go to Wright Patterson Field in Dayton, Ohio, to take courses in Air Force Technology. Last year he received his commission as a second lieutenant.

Home from visiting the Ritchie Smiths at their summer cottage is Mrs. Lyle York.

Mrs. Ted Beckett and son Riley off for Tahoe.

CAROLYN DEMETER now at Sacramento attending the California Girls' State as the representative from Acalanes. The various high school juniors chosen by the women of the American Legion have a very interesting time of it learning all about government.

Off for Canada and the Northwest—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Savale.

The Bay Area is full of worthy causes and worthy ladies who are working for worthy causes but the most unusual money raising project we have gotten wind of recently is being staged by three local ladies of the Tanager group who aid the Therapy Center. Mrs. George Klement, Mrs. Victor Savale and Mrs. William Cary have bought a pretty high fallutin' looking forty-eight cup electric percolator with installed measuring devices which they will rent for parties. For two dollars and fifty cents and a phone call to Orinda 2815 or 2364 you may rent same and astound your guests and delight your cook (be it your husband, yourself or the more formal variety).

Off for a trip to Canada—Mrs. Earl Twomy and sons Jimmy and Dick will drive to the beautiful Banff and Lake Louise area.

Great excitement recently when Arthur Somers was a U.S.G.A. official for the National Open Golf Tournament at Oakmont, Pennsylvania. After watching Messieurs Hogan and Snead it must be quite something to get back to Orinda and see some of the antics that go on.

And speaking of golf, of course the Women's Amateur has been going on all week which is a little hard on our house work inasmuch as our kitchen window has an uninterrupted view of several fairways. Three of our local lassies are in the second flight—Mrs. James Sharp, Mrs. Stephen Jensen and Mrs. Arthur Somers. We have been tempted upon occasion to shout a few well chosen words of advice when we see some of our friends on the course but trust we will have the judgment to keep still now that the best golfers in the area are performing for us.

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Pine Grove and Master Plan

(Continued from Page 1)

18 letter to Sigerson which stated that EBMUD would "at the earliest possible time" make formal application to the Board of Supervisors "for the rezoning of our subject property at the Orinda Crossroads to retail business." Sigerson, that same day, replied to McFarland:

"I should like to see your good company reconsider filing your application for rezoning of the Pine Grove area."

IN FAIRNESS to all concerned," Sigerson wrote, "we again request that you withhold filing of your application and join with all other Orindans in exercising our combined persuasive power upon the Board of Supervisors to the end that an expedited master plan for Orinda is obtained."

"This, it seems to us, will not deprive your company of any profits that are justly due it, and it will, at the same time, protect the interests of all concerned."

SIGERSON STATED yesterday that one of the details he and McFarland hoped to agree on today or tomorrow was the time to be asked for the development of an Orinda master plan by the county. "I'm shooting for six months," he said.

McFarland confirmed the fact that the time-element was one detail which he and Sigerson hoped to work out but he added:

"We haven't made any commitments. The EBMUD general manager said he believed it would be late July or early August before a rezoning hearing would be held before the Planning Commission, even if there are no delays."

"OUR INTENTION," he said, "always has been and still is to work out any problem we have with the community affected, and we will go out of our way to do that, keeping in mind the obligations we have for running a business over 200 square miles in area, as well as the interests of the local community."

"We're a public corporation. Our main business is serving people with a supply of water. We're not in the business of trying to gouge as much profit as we can from every transaction."

AT THE ORINDA Association board meeting Monday night at Orinda School, Sigerson declared that "an application for rezoning now would be very detrimental," mainly because the rezoning is "just one of the problems which should be solved by master planning."

"If rezoning were pushed now by EBMUD, the entire problem of the master plan would become confused," he said.

"This thing, I feel personally, could wreck master planning in Orinda. Our committee believes the application for rezoning should be opposed as strongly as possible, mainly because it's not good planning."

Christ and Fear Is Sermon Topic

Mrs. Hal Engman's Sunday School Class will present a program for the children and parents at the 9:30 Family Sunday Worship Service at the Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church.

They will also sing at the 11 a.m. Church Worship Service, "Christ Calms Our Fears" is the sermon topic which the Reverend Edward R. Andersen, pastor, will develop at the 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. services.

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Rotarians Mix It Up in Old Fashioned Ball Game... Yer Out!

When two Rotary Clubs meet on the baseball field there is bound to be rivalry and fun, and it was no exception when Orinda Rotarians met Lafayette Rotarians Monday night at Acalanes High School.

Orinda came out on the short end of the score 11 to 7. Ramsay Underwood, publicity man for Orinda Rotary, could only say "They must have cheated. We beat them twice last year with the same team. We'll have a rematch July 6 to prove it."

Lafayette Rotarian Stan White said that this was not the case, but that "we did provide the umpire. The only thing wrong with him was that he favored Orinda."

The umpire was W. B. Ellis.

Playing on the Orinda team were Dan Popovich, who pitched, Wayne Seroy, first base; Ramsay Underwood, second base; Joe Sheaff, shortstop; Merle Brown, third base; Frank Shirey, right field, Bee Betts, center field and Joe Creighton, roving man. It seems that there were an assortment of other Orinda Rotarians who also got into the game.

Among those on the Lafayette club were Carl Westlund, Ralph Li-gon, Milt Adair, Matt Connelly, Elwin Gerow, Gorrell Butler, Del Randall, Charles Offen, Jack Schneider, Ed Rodman, Stan White, Harry Shaner... and the umpire.

"Well, we think the better team lost... and we'll prove it next time."

To help soothe aching muscles, etc. the Orinda Rotary is holding a "Demotion Party" at the home of Ramsay Underwood in Happy Valley Sunday from 3 p.m. on into the night. There will be swimming, cocktails and a barbecue.

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SECOND SECTION

ORINDA SUN

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New Soroptimist Officers Seated

Mrs. Jane Fetterly took the gavel of the Walnut Creek Soroptimists Club from Mrs. Ruth Wallis, retiring president, in the third annual installation dinner of the unit held last week in Lafayette.

Mrs. Fetterly is director of curriculum of the Walnut Creek Elementary School District and Mrs. Wallis is the superintendent of the Walnut Creek Recreation Department.

Other officers installed were Dorothy Davis, office manager of First Savings and Loan Company, first vice-president; Dorothy Menges, co-owner of A. B. Menges Company, second vice-president; Olga Hubbell, city tax collector, recording secretary, and Beatrice Edgar, office manager of the Walnut Creek Elementary School District, corresponding secretary.

Ruth Davidson, office manager of Jurg Motor Company, treasurer, and delegate; Lorraine Larson, co-owner of Larson Floor Covering Company, auditor; Phyllis Slingsby, women's editor of the Contra Costa Times, and Josephine Reilly, co-times, and Josephine Reilly, co-directors.

Mildred Myers, past president of the Concord Soroptimist Club and regional bureau chairman, was installing officer.

Following the installation, Mrs. Wallis also gave the president's pin to Mrs. Fetterly. Erla Boucher, former president of the Richmond Soroptimists gave Mrs. Wallis a past president's pin, and Lily Lahti, dean of girls at Acalanes High School presented the club's gift to Mrs. Wallis.

The Soroptimists is a service club for professional and executive business women. The local club was chartered on March 31, 1951.

Beta Sigma Phi Chapter Schedules Fall Functions

Jessie McNeil, newly installed president of Iota Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, presided over her first meeting recently in the Concord Recreation Hall. Plans were made for the coming year and special chairmen were appointed.

Marilyn Lee was named chairman for a progressive dinner the chapter will have on August 22. Pat Johnson, chairman in charge of food for the Concord Redmen's Pow Wow Parade, announced that plans are complete and work has been started on the entry.

A rummage sale is scheduled for September 19, which will be held in Concord's old Post Office building.

October 3 is the date set for Iota Theta's annual fashion show. The show will be presented entirely by Joseph Magnin's and will be at the El Rio Motel in Antioch. It was decided that a donation from the proceeds will be given to the Contra Costa County Junior College Student Loan Fund.

A golf raffle is scheduled for December and members voted to sponsor a dance in the spring. Meetings were adjourned for the summer.

Eymans Visit Orinda On Return from Siam

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Eymann have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clyatt, 755 Miner Road, Orinda. The Eymans are Mrs. Clyatt's parents. They have been in Thailand for the past two years where Dr. Eymann was vocational educationist. He helped the Siamese government in a program to train industrial workers.

They were visiting for a week and left yesterday for Florida by way of Washington, D. C.

A tea was given in their honor Sunday at the Clyatt home. About 40 people attended.

Mrs. Newell Named To Delphian Post

Mrs. Joseph Newell 11 Los Altos, Orinda, has been named corresponding secretary of the Golden Gate Delphian Assembly.

She was installed as the Women's City Club in San Francisco June 9.

Mrs. Newell is a member of the Kappa Rho chapter in Lafayette.

Diane Robertson Flower Hostess

Diane Robertson, Acalanes High School student, has been chosen as one of the official hostesses for the 8th annual Flower and Hobby Show at the Hotel Claremont in Berkeley. The show is open to the public from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. without charge today and tomorrow. It started yesterday.

Eloise Fowler Gets Therapy Certificate

Eloise Janet Fowler, 47 Camino Encinas, Orinda, was awarded a certificate in occupational therapy at the commencement exercises of the University of Southern California this month.

Senator William Knowland gave the commencement address.

Host Buffet Supper

Several guests attended a buffet supper recently at the R. Stanley Dollar home in Walnut Creek.

New Hospital Branch Meets

The first regular meeting of the Lombardy Branch of Children's Hospital of the East Bay was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Maddox, 255 La Espiral, Orinda, June 10.

Unanimous consent was given by the group to the appointment of Mrs. Maddox as chairman. The other officers will be Mrs. R. P. Rasmussen, vice-chairman; Mrs. Robert Lyman, secretary; Mrs. Sterling P. Smith, treasurer; membership committee, Mrs. Joseph Downs, chairman, and Mesdames R. L. Kocher, Dan Carter and Sterling P. Smith.

Chairmen for committees will be: Tickets, Mrs. Rasmussen; historian, Mrs. Carter; publicity, Mrs. Jack Moyle; Bambino and calendar, Mrs. Cecil Cantrell; friendship and remembrance, Mrs. Kocher.

A group will be working this summer on their part of the exhibit to be held in the fall.

Regular meetings will be resumed in the fall.

Therapy Center Receives \$1,000 For New Office

Meeting Monday at the home of Mrs. Paul Jacobus on Circle Drive, Walnut Creek, Linnet Auxiliary to the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center announced the delivery of a check for \$2,000 to the Therapy Center in June.

Treasurer Mrs. Paul Nave noted that \$1,000 was earmarked for operational expenses of the center and the balance for the building fund of the new center at Hookston.

Linnet Auxiliary voted to accept the suggestion of Towhee Auxiliary to jointly conduct a three day sale at the Thrift Shop in September, all proceeds of which will go to the Building Fund of the new Therapy Center, according to Mrs. M. C. Bolander, president.

Mrs. J. R. Lar Rieu reported on the Board of Directors meeting of the Therapy Center.

There is a need for speech and hearing therapy, including the teaching of the use of hearing aids, she said. Plans for such a therapist are being made by the Center.

Spinsters, Dames Give Gala Party

June 13 was a big day in the lives of the Spinsters and Dames.

They staged a Coronation Caper at the Castlewood Country Club near Pleasanton, (formerly the Old Hearst Ranch) which included cocktails at 9 p.m. and a formal "sit-down" dinner at 11.

Vivian Gamble Otto of Orinda, president, handled the arrangements with Mrs. George Peterson. The party included two glittering facsimile thrones, well filled wine coolers, and dance music... including a Dixieland jazz band which entered the scene somewhere around 1 a.m.

About 400 invitations were issued.

Here Comes the Bride

Christiansens Home In Orinda From Vegas Honeymoon

The William E. Christiansens Jr. are now at home in Orinda after their recent wedding in the Orinda Community Church.

Mrs. Christiansens is the former Mrs. Mary G. Crane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gresham of Orinda.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a pale pink lace dress in ruffled tiers over taffeta.

A short matching veil was attached to her lace hat, set off by a bouquet of deep pink roses. Her matron of honor, Mrs. Paul Barker of Orinda, wore a deeper shade of pink.

Linda Crane, flower girl, preceded the bridal procession carrying baby roses.

The Reverend Fred Morrow officiated.

William, son of the senior William E. Christiansens of Oakland, was aided by Peter Kramm of Moraga who served as best man.

The newlyweds spent their honeymoon in Las Vegas.

Lois Lillian Tovey Weds Jack Wallace In Garden Rites

In the garden of the Orinda home of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Teasdel, Miss Lois Lillian Tovey became the bride of Jack Edwin Wallace Sunday.

The Rev. Fred Stripp of Berkeley conducted the ceremonies.

The bride wore a ball-length white embroidered organza dress with a double tiered skirt. The veil was the same one her aunt had worn at her wedding and she carried a bouquet of white bouvardia and lilies of the valley surrounding a white orchid.

HER ATTENDANTS wore yellow organza ball-length with yellow shoes to match and carried sheaths of Esther Reid daisies.

Fred Heine of Oakland, an uncle of the bride, gave her hand in marriage.

She was attended by her cousin, Miss Lynn Diane Teasdel of Orinda, as maid of honor; Miss Frances Louis of Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. George Spohr and her twin cousins, the Misses Karen and Paula Heine of Oakland as bridesmaids. Miss Gayle Ann Teasdel was flower girl in the garden.

MRS. TEASDEL, with whom the bride made her home, wore a champagne colored lace dress with an Eton packet and a picture hat. Mrs. Joyn Emery Wallace, the groom's mother, wore a pale pink lace dress with navy blue accessories.

Charles Mersereau, a University of California Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity brother of the bride, was best man.

Three other fraternity brothers and Jack Kelly ushered. They were Maury Gibson of Berkeley, Ted Barry of Los Angeles and Bob Hays of Lafayette.

Bon Voyage Luncheon

Mrs. Lewis Mitchell honored Mrs. Donald Quayle of Oakland at a bon voyage luncheon party at the Mitchell home in Walnut Creek Monday.

Judge and Mrs. Quayle will board the S. S. Lurline Wednesday to start on a several weeks sojourn in the Hawaiian Islands.



SMILING AT THE WORLD are Mr. and Mrs. John Matteo (Gloria Dezzani). They were married Sunday by a long-time friend of the groom, the Very Rev. Joseph J. Fulton, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Walnut Creek. They are now honeymooning in Canada.

NEWLY MARRIED Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bailey (Muriel Stover) pose for a picture after a candle-light service last Sunday evening at the Walnut Creek Presbyterian Church. The couple is now enjoying a honeymoon at Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. White Finds Answer to Heat

A good answer to our current heat wave was given last weekend by Mrs. Carson White of 31 Magnolia Court in Walnut Creek, who went to snow country with her father, Harry Hanson of 2425 Encinal Drive in Walnut Creek and her son Charlie, 10.

They spent the weekend skiing at Sonoma Pass. While they were there Charlie entered a class three guest race put on by the Stockton Ski Club and won the event.

"The snow was wonderful and the skiing conditions were very good," Mrs. White reported. The skiing was done at an elevation of 9000 feet.

Family plans coincided on the weekend as Mrs. Hanson, now on a three month trip to Europe, spent the same weekend at a Swiss ski resort, Zermatt, at the base of the Matterhorn.

Mrs. White reported that there are two more ski races planned this summer, one at Squaw Valley, July 4, and the other at Mt. Lassen July 11.

Today Charlie is attending a church conference at Mt. Herman from the Walnut Creek Presbyterian Church.

Hope Hallenbeck Leaves for Lengthy New York Trip

Miss Hope Hallenbeck of 1055 Marguerite Court, Lafayette, left Saturday for New York, via the Canadian Rockies and Lake Louise.

She will be the guest at the estate home on the Hudson River, of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall Blackburn of Selkirk, N. Y.

Mrs. Blackburn has planned a reunion party for the class of 1950, of the Albany Academy for Girls, of which Hope was a member when she moved to the West Coast.

Miss Hallenbeck, a student at the Anna Head School for Girls in Berkeley, won the 1953 French Award given by the school for outstanding work in that field, and was also specially selected from two auditions to play in the Bach Piano Festival at Berkeley Auditorium this month.

Miss Hallenbeck is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Hallenbeck.

Dean Bailey Is Wed To Muriel Stover in Candle-Light Rites

Expected home tomorrow or Sunday from a week's honeymoon at Lake Tahoe are the newly-wedded Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bailey, who were married Sunday in a candle-light service at the Walnut Creek Presbyterian Church.

The bride, Miss Muriel Stover, went to the altar in a Chantilly lace floor-length gown with long sleeves and carried orchids surrounded by lilies of the valley.

SHE IS THE DAUGHTER of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Stover of Sunny-side, Wash., and was graduated with a major in education from Whitworth College in Spokane in 1951.

It was at Whitworth that the couple met. Dean attended the college for two and a half years, transferring to the University of California. He will enter his final semester there with an economics major and a political science minor this fall. He will then attend law school.

Miss Helen Stover, the bride's cousin, was maid of honor, and Janet Bailey, the sister of the groom, and Phyllis Stover, the bride's niece, were bridesmaids.

THE MAID OF HONOR wore a floor-length gown of pink nylon net and carried a blue net fan with pink carnations. The bridesmaids carried pink net fans with pink carnations and wore blue nylon net floor-length dresses.

Jerry Taylor of Walnut Creek was best man. Bob Argo, Mort Busk, Bob Sherwood and Bert Busk were ushers.

The wedding took place in a flower-bedecked church, decorated by 16 women of the church. The Rev. James Ushaw, pastor, conducted the wedding.

The bride's mother wore an ice blue lace dress with a pink carnation corsage. The groom's mother, Mrs. Forrest H. Bailey of Walnut Creek, wore an ashen of lilac dress and a lavender carnation corsage.

The bride taught last year at Antioch and will teach this fall at Walnut Heights Elementary School. She was listed in "Who's Who in American Colleges."

After the wedding, some 180 friends of the newlyweds gathered in the church social hall at a reception for the bride and groom. The bride wore a champagne silk suit when she left for the Tahoe honeymoon.

Orioles Contribute \$1050 to Mt. Diablo Therapy Center

The Orinda Orioles, auxiliary to the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center, held their last meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Victor Grobler, 38 Linda Vista, June 10.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Carl Wellington Smith, Joseph Dirickx and F. B. Connell.

The Orioles announced with satisfaction that \$1050 would be sent to the Center. A total of \$1796 was contributed during the year. Not included in this amount is the Orioles' share in the benefit, the Fifth Annual Spring Hunter trials held in Concord recently.

Members will soon be busy with the fund drive for new quarters for the Therapy Center. Mrs. William Gilman will direct the summer activities. Mrs. Ray Devin has been working with the drive committee. The drive will be held August 15 to September 15.

Mrs. Myron Hardy was appointed chairman of the rummage sale to be held in the fall. She urged members to remind their friends to save articles for the summer.

Mrs. E. L. Bargones received a gift from the members in appreciation of her excellent leadership. She turned the gavel over to Mrs. T. M. Harter who will be president next year.

Laurel Jr. Branch Converts Building Into French Quarter

The Veterans Memorial Building in Lafayette was converted into a typical court-patio of the New Orleans French Quarter June 13.

Members of the Laurel Junior Branch decorated the building with gay umbrellas, striped awnings, shuttered windows and a basement cafe for their dinner dance, a benefit for Children's Hospital of the East Bay.

Mrs. Lloyd Kindall Jr. of Walnut Creek, chairman, was assisted by Mesdames Frederic Garner of Martinez, Thomas Clarke of Lafayette, Robert Giffman of Walnut Creek, Stan Jackson and Charles Rodier of Concord.

Donovans Offer Home for Reception

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Donovan, 3745 Highland Road, Lafayette, have offered their home as the reception place following the wedding of Lorraine Oberg and Dr. Leo F. Heneghan July 25 in San Francisco.

Henry Donovan is the bride-elect's cousin.

The couple plan to make their home in New Jersey following the wedding.

Lorimers Entertain

Mrs. W. S. Lorimer of 210 Moraga Highway entertained 27 members of the Inasmuch Circle of the King's Daughters of Oakland recently. Her co-hostesses were Mesdames Charles Pimentel, Harry Carlson of Castro Valley, Arthur Rodgers of El Cerrito and Warren Hall of Oakland.

Hays Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Ridgely Greathouse of Acacia Drive, Orinda, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Reese Hay at dinner June 6.

Several other couples joined them to meet the Hays. Greathouse is a Pandora Chapter member of the Children's Home Society.

String Quartet To Play at Mills

An event of great interest to lovers of fine music is the return of the famed Budapest String Quartet, who were in residence at Mills College every summer from 1940 to 1950.

They will give only two concerts in the East Bay, on July 2 and 9 at Mills College in the Hall for Chamber Music, celebrating the college's 25th year of chamber music.

Their programs will include works of Brahms, Mozart, Milhaud, Schubert and Martinu, and will begin at 8:30 p.m.

Since their last visit here, they have toured South America and the Orient, where they plan to return next year.

Tickets are available for the Mills concerts. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Stuart Henderson, Orinda 3592.

Mrs. W. Houston Named to Children's Home Society Post

Mrs. William Houston, member of Pandora Chapter of the Children's Home Society, has been elected vice-president of the Northern California Council of the Children's Home Society.

This council is the governing body which serves to coordinate the programs and projects of the chapters in Oakland, Berkeley, Orinda, Lafayette, Walnut Creek, Kensington, Albany Marin Richmond and Palo Alto.

These chapters are all working to provide funds and facilities for The Home.

The Children's Home Society is a state wide adoption organization which serves all races and creeds. The Society places homeless children in carefully selected homes and supervises them until adopted.

Guests Visit at F. C. Cline Home

Recent guests at the F. C. Cline home on Pleasant Hill Road in Pleasant Hill were Mr. and Mrs. Don Landis of Rockford, Ill., and Mrs. Frances Connelly and children of Los Angeles.

While here the families motored to San Francisco, San Rafael, over the Golden Gate Bridge, and Oakland Bay Bridge and toured Golden Gate Park.

They also took a trip on the Redwood Highway as far as Eureka and the Avenue of Giants. Mrs. Connelly and children will leave with Mr. and Mrs. Landis tomorrow for Rockford to visit her parents. They will travel by way of Reno and Salt Lake City.

Dessert Garden Party Planned

Mrs. Richard Harrison, ways and means chairman of the Immaculate Guild of St. Mary's Catholic Church is busily coordinating plans for a mid-July dessert garden party of the unit.

The party will be held July 18 at the Arthur Schick home in Lake-wood.

Girl To Be Nurse

Esther Meunier, daughter of the A. Meuniers of Palomares Street, Lafayette, was a member of the June 12 high school graduation class at Concordia College in Oakland.

Esther plans to go into nurse's training.

Lafayette Junior Women to Install

Mrs. Troyer Returns From Eastern Tour, Ladies Shrine Meet

Mrs. Mervin Troyer of Lafayette, newly-installed High Priestess of Mo-Li-La Court, Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America, recently returned from an extended tour of the country.

She attended the annual Grand Council of the Ladies Oriental Shrine in Washington D. C. in May and then went on to New York, Boston, Niagara Falls, the Dakotas, Glacier National Park, Spokane and home through the Cascades.

Highlights of Mrs. Troyer's Washington visit included a visit with Mamie Eisenhower at the White House and breakfast with George Miller Jr. and Mrs. Miller at the Capitol Building.

She also visited the General Grand Home of the Order of Eastern Star and remarked about the 14 carat gold chandeliers and grand piano.

The Christian Science Mother Church and publishing offices were also on her agenda. In the latter building, Mrs. Troyer saw the circular room with a map of the world painted on the walls.

While in New York in the earlier part of the three week tour, Mrs. Troyer spoke on a local television program about California and her trip.

The Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America is associated with the men's Shrine and is currently carrying out a campaign for funds to benefit the Shrine's Crippled Children's Hospitals. The national quota is \$20,000.

The Grand High Priestess from Washington D. C. will visit in the Bay Area in September, Mrs. Troyer reports. The state convention is scheduled for San Francisco in November.

ADP Alumnae Unit Installs Officers

New officers were installed at the final meeting for the season of Diabolo Alumnae Association of Alpha Delta Phi Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Keller, 1142 Upper Happy Valley Road, Lafayette.

Mrs. Miles Hudson of Lafayette succeeded Mrs. W. E. Snyder as president of the group.

Other new officers installed were: Mrs. M. V. Wolberg, Lafayette, vice-president; Mrs. Carrell Peterson of Oakland, secretary; and Mrs. Thomas Cullen of Orinda, treasurer.

Swimming followed the short business meeting where plans for a benefit Lei Luncheon were discussed.

The luncheon will be held at Mrs. Hudson's home in Acalanes valley. It will include a cocktail hour and luncheon followed by swimming and bridge. Mrs. Richard Doolin of Walnut Creek is handling reservations.

Almona Chapter Is Host to Visitors

Visiting officers from several East Bay chapters of the Order of Eastern Star occupied officer's stations Saturday of Chapter 214, OES, in the Walnut Creek Masonic Temple.

The occasion was a courtesy night program.

Peggy Bennett, worthy matron of the Concord chapter, presided. Olof Hanson of Encina Chapter of Oakland took the worthy patron's chair, according to Joyce French, head of the local chapter.

Line officers of the local unit will honor Worthy Matron Joyce French in a party Monday in the Walnut Creek Temple, according to Beatrice Rowe, publicity.

Ballantines Have Afternoon Party

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockhart, former Californians now living in Schenectady, N. Y., the John K. Ballantines of Barrett Road, Lafayette, entertained a group of mutual friends at an open house Saturday afternoon.

Ballantine and Lockhart were Sigma Phi fraternity brothers at the University of California.

Trish Meyers Given Honors at San Jose

Trish Meyers, daughter of Commander and Mrs. E. H. Miller, 1127 Garden Lane, Lafayette, was recently elected "Betty Coed" at San Jose State College.

Trish, a graduate of Acalanes High School, was also chosen as counselor at Freshman Camp next year, elected song leader, and has been affiliated with the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

The recently formed Lafayette Junior Women's Club is getting underway with many plans for the future.

June 15 the group met to see slides of the Lafayette Community Center project, followed by refreshments.

The purpose of the club is to build a better community, and the group attempts to do this by seeking worthy projects and donating time and effort to them.

IT WAS WITH this in mind that they asked for the presentation of the Community Center project program.

Although the group will take little active part in furthering a project in Lafayette until fall, it is attempting to familiarize itself with possible projects in Lafayette.

Officers will be installed July 6 at the home of Mrs. J. Elliott Dunn, 3622 Chestnut Street, Lafayette. They are:

PRESIDENT, Mrs. R. D. Young; vice-president, Mrs. Adin Wilson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joel Kitchens; recording secretary, Mrs. Angus Crocker; treasurer, Mrs. Edward C. Allen; auditor, Mrs. Herbert Breskling.

Chairmen of committees are: Food, Muriel Kenzler; gifts and amenities, Donna Haber; parliamentary, Ynez Frazzelli; build a better community, Janice Dunn.

The club has a large "Build a Better Community Chart" which serves as a record of members activities. If any member participates in any activity which is for the betterment of the community, then a record of the time and effort is listed on the chart.

THIS INCLUDES such activities as Brownie leadership, church group activities and so forth.

Installing officer for the installation will be Mrs. John Henderson Jr. She is past district president of Alameda District, Junior Women's Clubs. Guests will be Mrs. Walter Crecher, Alameda District adviser; Mrs. Roy C. Young, federation coordinator, and Miss Ann Jensen, Alameda Junior District president.

Only one other activity has been planned for the summer months. A barbecue will be held July 17, and that will end business and social meetings until August 31, after which time meetings will be held the first and third Mondays of each month.

Cocktail Parties Precede Sport Dance

The John Athansons of Lafayette entertained 14 of their friends at a cocktail party Saturday night before the sports dance at the Orinda Country Club.

Highlight of the dance was a group of dances led by Thomas Mack.

Reservations for no-host tables included those made by Mr. and Mrs. J. Aubrey Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Federighi, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McIntyre and Mr. and Mrs. William McGuire.



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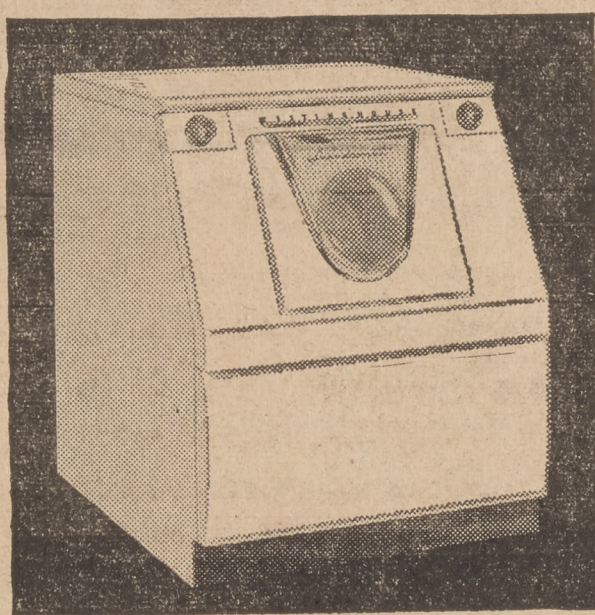
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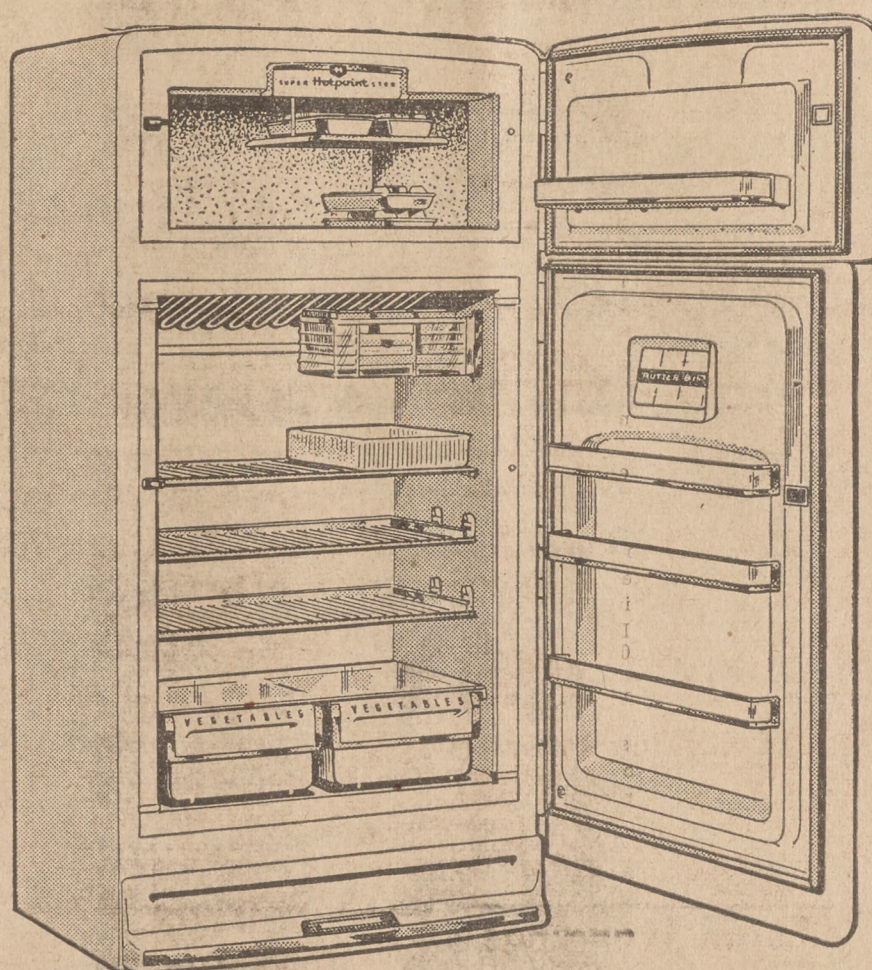
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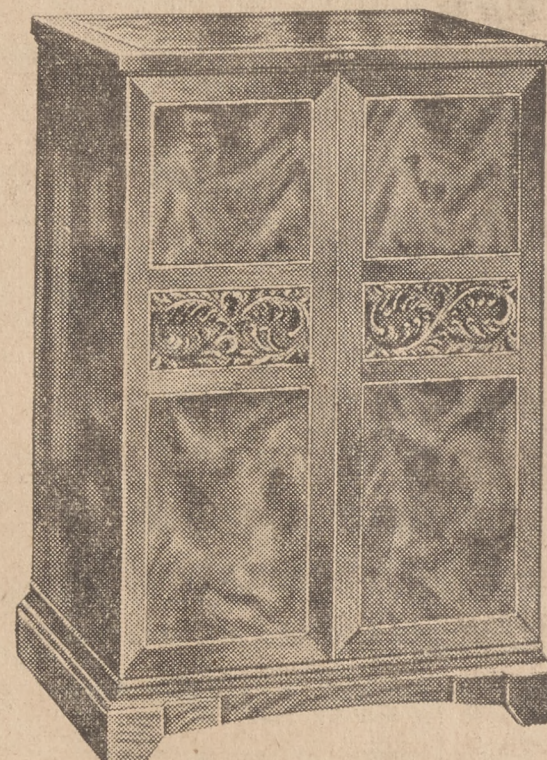
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Alex Poulsen Will
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resentatives of Elgin National
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day merchandising conference Mon-
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Sermon Study
Will Be About
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"Christian Science" will be the
subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be
read Sunday in all Churches of
Christ, Scientist.
Citations from the Bible and
from the Christian Science text-
book "Science and Health with Key
to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker
Eddy, comprising the sermon, will
include the following:
The Bible: "Thou therefore, my
son, be strong in the grace that is
in Christ Jesus. . . Study to show
thyself approved unto God, a work-
man that needeth not to be ashamed,
rightly dividing the word of
truth" (II Timothy 2:1, 15).
Science and Health: "Hold per-
petually this thought, - that it is
the spiritual idea, the Holy Ghost
and Christ, which enable you to
demonstrate, with scientific cer-
tainty, the rule of healing, based
upon its divine Principle, Love, un-
derlying, overlying, and encompass-
ing all true being" (p. 496).

Final plans for the opening of
day camp at Acalanes High School
from Monday to July 31, inclusive,
are being greatly accelerated.
This strictly non-profit, non-sect-
arian camp, sponsored by the
League of Jewish Women, provides
on a community-wide basis such
activities as swimming, hiking,
cook-outs, arts and crafts, nature
studies and dramatics for children
from 6 to 16.
In addition to the regular Red
Cross swimming program, there
will be two weeks during the pe-
riod of the camp when the pool will
be available to the campers ex-
clusively. During this period a
qualified lifeguard and swimming
instructor will be on duty.
"We are greatly pleased by the
response to the day camp," stated
Mrs. Hilda Singer, director. "And
we are also pleased to announce
that registrations are still accept-
able."
Those parents who may still be
interested in sending their children
to the camp are urged to contact
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There Is an Answer

(An Editorial)

A wave of vandalism by teenagers and younger children hit the southern part of Contra Costa County recently when three gangs of youths were apprehended by Sheriff's Deputies.

Acts of vandalism point up a basic responsibility of the community beyond that of individual families.

There must be a place in community life for youth. This means places which children can consider their own and activities which they can direct and organize according to their own ideas.

The Recreation Centers in Pleasant Hill and Walnut Creek and the proposed Community Centers in Lafayette and Orinda, along with the proposed Community Swimming Pool in Walnut Creek, can do much to satisfy this need.

Acts of vandalism are youthful energy gone wild. They are conceived on the spur of the moment and executed in fits of thoughtless doing. They are unfortunate outlets for bursting energy which teenagers fall upon when no other means are available.

Along with such energy, curiosity and audacity are the age-old character of youth and will not be denied.

The term "playground" and the idea of a recreation center are obnoxious to many a child. They have the connotation of convention. Nevertheless, they can be, and often are, the happiest solutions which a community can devise.

Ironically, these facilities must often be sold to the youth they serve. It is more ironical when they must be sold to the adults of the community.

Existing recreational programs need support if they are to succeed. Proposed programs and facilities need much more support than they presently receive.

The Lafayette Community Center, the Orinda Community Center and the Walnut Creek Community Swimming Pool can be significant opportunities for youth. They need your dollar and your consistent support.

Commuters ... Some Hope

AN EDITORIAL

Over and over again in the past year the Diablo Highway Improvement Federation and improvement associations in the area have sought a solution for the problem of crowded commuter traffic on Mt. Diablo Boulevard.

The job they tackled is immense and remains far from complete.

This week there is cause for hope, however, at least in regard to one aspect of the problem ... the trucks.

Representatives of individual trucking firms and Robert Minardi, president of the Truck Owners Association of California, indicated that they will make every attempt to keep their trucks off Mt. Diablo Boulevard during the peak hours.

Thanks of every local resident should go to these businessmen who have realized the problem here and offered their cooperation. In one case, the head of a trucking firm, which has been the target of many complaints said that he would remind his drivers not to stop for breakfast en route to their destination.

Thanks should also go to the Diablo Highway Federation. This organization of delegates from numerous improvement groups and other interested associations has stuck to a tedious and often frustrating job for a long time.

It was at a meeting of the Diablo Highway Federation that truckers last week went on record with offers of cooperation.

Everyone Slips Sometime

This month the National Safety Council and the California Association of Insurance Agents are waging war on psychologically unsafe drivers.

Having determined that the majority of the nation's auto accidents are caused by six psychological types of drivers, the two organizations set out to track them down.

Here are the six types of road menaces:

1. "Mr. Inferior," who steps on the gas to feel important because he can't feel important any other way.
2. "Mr. Exhibitionist," who gets a peculiar thrill from showing off at the wheel.
3. "Mr. Ulcer," who steps on the gas like he steps on others.
4. "Mr. Snafu," who drives with his mind on Cloud No. 6.
5. "Mrs. Superior," who wants her way on the road as she gets it at home.
6. "Miss Excitement," who would rather be dead than dull.

The whole point is that all of us, at one time or another, become at least one of these psychological types while behind the wheel of our autos.

Ned H. Dearborn, president of the Safety Council, says, "The average man probably does not consider himself a bad traffic risk, but does he know himself as well as he thinks he does? Does he know that when he beats a light, exceeds the speed limit, passes illegally, is generally reckless, he is demonstrating weakness of character rather than prowess?"

Stopping to think it over for the moment, we realize that Dearborn is right. There are times that we let ourselves go — times when we become "Mr. Exhibitionist," "Mr. Snafu" or one of the others.

There are times when we step on the gas when the trip gets monotonous, times when we act like we'd rather be dead than dull. There are times when we are sure that haste is vital and that we are being hindered by blundering joy-riders — and we swerve out for a dangerous pass.

Facing the facts requires honesty with ourselves. Warnings about safe driving are of that particular category of admonitions which are never invalid, never out-of-date, never too frequent.

We must admit that we continually forget what it means to be careless on the highway; we must admit that, as humans, we err. We must make up our minds to start a personal campaign to keep our own driving safe.

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Fair Winds and Off to Honolulu

By DICK OSBORN

There was the Holganza, rocking gently at the dock. The band was playing, people were singing "Aloha," leis were perfuming the air and Don Lawrie was standing on the deck waving goodbye.

But the motor wouldn't start ... dead battery.

This is how Mrs. Lawrie described the beginning of what will be a 3000-mile journey to Honolulu for Don, the 37-foot yawl Holganza and the crew.

DON WILL LEAVE July 4 from San Pedro on the biennial Honolulu race. Mrs. Lawrie, who claims to be "a fair weather sailor but no racer," will hold down the fort at 8 El Sueno, Orinda, and then fly to the Islands July 17 to join Don. This is no sudden desire of Don's to enter the race, according to Mrs. Lawrie. He has been preparing for it for almost 12 years.

"Don built the boat himself 12 years ago," explained Mrs. Lawrie, "and he has been working on it ever since. For the past year it has been in our rumpus room, which has taken on the aspects of a workshop."

"EVEN THE MAST was in there, with one end sticking out the French doors into the garden. Don has worked the boat over from keel to masthead, checking every bolt and spar."

"Do you know that it took a half-ton pickup loaded with food to provision the boat for the trip?" she asked.

Mrs. Lawrie explained that although Don expects to make the trip in 14 days (which should make him sweepstakes winner if he can do it), the rules of the race require that 30 days' provisions be carried.

THE CREW of six men, who will be eating out of cans for two weeks, consists of Glenn Waterhouse of Berkeley, Cliff Edwards of Oakland, Frank Bielek and David Boswell of Richmond, Denis Sella of Guatemala and Harvey Godfredsen of San Rafael, who has signed on as cook (and that's the hardest job on the boat, commented Mrs. Lawrie).

Before the crew and boat left Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Vad Jeltch of Happy Valley Road in Lafayette gave a going-away party for them. The Jeltchs usually sail in the race also, but decided at the last moment not to participate this year.

However, they offered the crew and friends a cocktail party, swimming, dancing and a buffet supper and even flew leis in from the Islands to provide atmosphere.

ONE OF THE BIG problems facing the Holganza is which route to take on the first day out from San Pedro. As Mrs. Lawrie explained it, it all depends on which way the skipper chooses to sail around Catalina Island ... the north or the south end.

If a class ... especially the smaller class C boats like Don's ... don't make it around the Island on the first day out, they are liable to be becalmed, and which sometimes costs them three or four days' time.

That is disastrous to a racing entrant, who counts every hour. In order to avoid this if possible, Don and the Holganza are going to take two exploratory runs out of San Pedro before the race, one to the north of Catalina and one to the south, in order to take all the guesswork possible out of the winds and tides.

DON AND MRS. Lawrie are in touch with each other through radio-telephone. There is a 50-watt radio and directional finder on the boat, so Don calls home every once in a while to say hello.

The system has its uses, Mrs. Lawrie explained. The night before the crew sailed from Richmond to San Pedro, Don carefully lectured them not to forget the four-letter word. He explained that he did not want to see any of the members having to borrow slickers and gear from anybody else.

"SO WHAT HAPPENED?" said Mrs. Lawrie. "Don radioed the second day out that he had forgotten HIS foul-weather gear, and would I please send it to San Pedro by car."

The Lawries will stay at the Surf Rider Hotel in Honolulu, and then Mrs. Lawrie will fly back. Don will sail the Holganza back and expects to arrive home around September 15.

Promise that you will be careful...

Picnicking or Camping—
always put your campfire dead out!

Hunting or Fishing—
always kill your matches, smokes and warming fires!

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always be careful. When smoking, use your ash-tray!

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Martinez Merry-Go-Round

SAFETY AWARD

President A. E. Floyd of the Contra Costa Safety Council presented to the Board of Supervisors a plaque commending the reduction of accidental deaths in Contra Costa County during 1952.

This plaque was accepted by the Contra Costa Safety Council on behalf of the county at an award meeting held by the California Safety Council at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco last month.

Hope was expressed that Contra Costa County will place first in accident reduction next year. Floyd warned that this can be accomplished only by the coordinated efforts of all agencies and individuals in the County.

COUNTY COSTS LOW

Per capita expenditures of the Contra Costa County government are among the lowest in the state according to a release by the County Taxpayers Association.

The county ranks 41st of California's 58 counties, taxes running \$25.14 per resident. County government costs do not include costs of schools, sanitation, drainage or fire protection.

FREE USE PROTESTED

Rent free use of space in the County Hall of Records by the Contra Costa Title Company was protested last week in a letter to the Board of Supervisors from A. F. Bray Jr., attorney.

HOUSING MAN RESIGNS

James C. Wood of Concord has resigned as a commissioner of the County Housing Authority.

The Board of Supervisors will be called on to appoint a replacement. The Rodeo Chamber of Commerce has asked that a Rodeo man be put on the board since the county will probably acquire a project there.

SHERIFF'S DEPT. CHANGES

The County Sheriff's Department was reorganized as of midnight June 8.

Under the new system the department is divided on the basis of type of crime to be handled. Previously, the department was divided on a geographic basis.

Inspector Norman Wilson of Walnut Creek, who used to handle the central county, will handle grand theft, forgery, embezzlement and arson.

Inspector Ray Stoffel of Martinez was used to handle the east county will take gambling, narcotics and vice.

Inspector Barton Carlson of Richmond who used to police the western section of the county will take homicide, suicide, aggravated assault, armed robbery and kidnapping.

A new unit, the sheriff's patrol will be headed by Lt. Harry A. Brown of Alamo. It will patrol the county, and investigate simple assault, disturbing the peace, petty theft and vagrancy.

Plainclothes detectives will be added to the department.

JUNIOR COLLEGE INSURANCE

A new plan for handling of Contra Costa Junior College insurance was submitted to trustees this week by Irving Magill of Walnut Creek and three others from the Contra Costa County and the Richmond Insurance Agent's Association.

The insurance men suggested that the district's policies be handled by one agent advised a rotating committee of four from the association. They nominated John T. Schroder of Walnut Creek for the job.

The college which is currently paying premiums of \$9,000 a year, would retain full power to select or reject the insuring companies, trustees agreed.

Spotlighting the Strip ...

By KITTY COLE

DANNY VAN ALLEN certainly has earned the name "fun-spot of the tunnel strip" for his club. A great part of this is due to the fine little band which plays music hot or sweet, at your request.

And don't forget the Mexican food. DANNY has a chef with the know-how that a Rodeo man be put on the board since the county will probably acquire a project there.

If the handsome new maitre 'd at CAPE COD HOUSE looks like someone you know, you're right. It's DON STEVENSON, who is the son of MARGE O'BRIEN, former owner of the EL NIDO RANCHO. DON worked in the same capacity

at his mother's restaurant, until Uncle Sam called. Recently released from the service, he has gone to work for DON THOMPSON. He, and his vocal wife, NINI ARNELLE, have added grandmother to the O'BRIEN name. Presented MARGE with her first grand-child. Tried the new taste sensation? Pizza, that's the sensation I keep raving about. Ask ROSEMARY or FREDDIE BOLOGNIA to make it for you at FREDDIE'S PIZZERIA next door to the Tunnel Inn.

Letters To The Editor

Gentlemen:

As a new citizen of Walnut Creek, would it be possible for me to make a pertinent suggestion which might do a good turn to many other citizens, who like myself, are in a "transportation predicament?"

The situation is this: there is no public transportation in our fair city, as you well know. But the biggest problems we all have is, how to get around, how to get downtown, how to get anywhere?

Now my suggestion would be a series of articles calling to the attention of the general riding public the poor pedestrian who plods along whilst car after car whizzes by, never offering a lift. I live two miles from the Greyhound depot in the Parkmead area and I walk and walk, with (in one year) only three lifts. This is a little rough on a great-grandmother-to-be. My husband takes the car every day to work and we can't afford another. So many, many women in our neighborhood and probably other areas, are in the same predicament. Could anything be done about this situation.

Yours most sincerely,
s/Madeleine Shaffer
(Editor's note: The SUN cannot recommend to drivers that they make a practice of stopping for persons walking on highways or streets. Nevertheless, Mrs. Shaffer has a problem which deserves attention. Perhaps there is a solution which some reader can offer.)

Dear Editor:

In closing my duties as chairman of the Citizens' County Building Committee, I want to extend for 80 committee members decided appreciation of the news and editorial support provided by the SUN papers to Proposition A in the May 12 election.

The extremely light vote is to be regretted. If it had been larger I am confident that any increased vote could have reflected a decidedly preponderant YES vote.

I must accord to the SUN papers, therefore, credit for the voter response in the areas they serve and acknowledge a decided contribution to a result that we both feel is for the best interests of taxpayers.

I want you to know my own deep personal appreciation and my conviction that your public interest and service contributed greatly to a saving of \$300,000 for taxpayers and prevented an unnecessary tax raise to meet unnecessary added costs.

With kindest personal regards.
Sincerely,
EDWARD M. LARMER,
Chairman,
Citizens' County Building Committee.

Dear Editor:

Your recent "Hat's Off" tribute to the Contra Costa County Commuters Association was most gratifying and timely. It is reassuring to carry our story to our membership and to the general public; specifically, your assistance in helping us to organize ride pool groups during last year's bus strike was exemplary of outstanding public service on the part of a local community newspaper.

On behalf of our entire membership, a heartfelt "Thank You" for your words of commendation.

Very truly yours,
DEL ARMSTRONG,
Vice President.
By: Ester M. Anderson,
Secretary.

HIGHWAY GAMBLERS

Many drivers would be offended if they were told they were gamblers, says the California State Automobile Association. Yet the chances they take in traffic are clear examples of betting with their lives for a slight advantage. It doesn't pay to take chances in the traffic game where life or death may be at stake. Take it easy and live longer.



Under The Sun

Hello, hello and why

By THE EDITOR

A new column?

Yes, folks, a new column in The SUN.

Why? Well, I've been threatening to do it for several years ... but have never quite had the courage. I was afraid I lacked perseverance and you would lack the strength to push through the editor's ravings week after week.

Here's what finally persuaded me: Friday and Saturday Eleanor (associate editor, chief sounding board ... and my wife), SUN staffers Dick Osborn and Chuck Bosley and I attended the California Editors' Conference at Stanford. One session was devoted to columns and we were impressed at the unanimity of opinion that columns add tremendous interest to a paper.

I didn't have to be sold ... for I once whipped up a column for my high school paper ("Ravings of an Editor"), did a bit in college and another for our Army division paper ("Bull Session").

At that time, I was convinced that no one actually read editorials and that a column was the answer. I have since changed my mind. For the past six years in The SUN, old Politicus and editorials have done the work. And they shall continue, along with this column.

Incidentally, keep an eye on our new editorial page as it develops. For the past two years, the staff has been aiming at a better departmentalized paper ... thus have developed our society and club page, home and garden, sports ... along with groupings of scout and church news.

BACK TO TODAY'S COLUMN ... at the editors' conference I solved one problem. Shall the writer be I or WE?

In the past, this writer always stuck to the WE. But the "I" seemed to be favored by the panel. Several other columnists wanted to learn how they could, with dignity, change from the WE to the I. So I shall be I.

This column will follow no specific pattern or policy. Perhaps it will contain some idle chatter or some "world-shaking" proclamations ... some gab about my three young editors, Mark, Dan and Janet, or the able members of the staff ... or anecdotes ... or advice to the lovelorn ... or advice to my old friends Sheriff Long and District Attorney Collins. This last point you can be certain of.

It may be a long column or merely a couple of paragraphs. And a couple of times a month it may be turned over to one of our good news men or perhaps to you.

It may repeat material in the news columns, editorials or Politicus' bright sayings.

I fervently hope, however, that you will let me know when I get too dull, too smart, too rough or too easy. If I've learned one thing on The SUN, it is not to have a thin skin. Please send in contributions.

AND NOTES TO YOU: The race for sheriff next year is under way. We hear a few possible names ... Capt. George Belon of the Highway Patrol in the county ... Ivan Goyak, county supervisor from the Richmond area ... R. W. Orin, chief of police in Concord ... and our old friend, young Tom McColl, who has talked about it for years.

Oh, yes, what about Jim "No Comment" Long? ... Haven't heard that old, old rumor lately ... that Jack Cummings will run or will be appointed after Long is reelected and then retires ... Politicus tells me that District Attorney "See No Evil" Collins may have some heap big opposition this trip. No one ran against him last time.

The United Crusade question is a real question. Don't know what will result. I still can't get too hot about joining the East Bay group but think that a united drive is essential. Why not check what Richmond is doing ... setting up its own unified drive.

Real fun ... take the kids to Walnut Creek ball park 'most any night for some good softball ... Have just had a flash from our traveling sports editor, Erwin Mattison, who is touring Europe. Incidentally, Bill Stanton is covering the softball scene for Matt.

One sport I'd like to see less of ... weaving and speeding on Mt. Diablo speedway.

A SAD NOTE is the death of G. Chester Brown, husband of our very good friend in Orinda, Carrie Brown ... she has worked for the success of The Orinda Sun ever since it was started ... sending in news and turning over every check to her church guild ... Mrs. Brown is a fine woman and we will all miss Mr. Brown.

As you read this, our little clan is enjoying a few days at Tuolumne ... I hope you are all working hard ... for I'm not.

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